

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Masahiro YAMAMOTO, *et al.*  
  
Serial No.: 10/788,720  
  
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Title: SHIFT CONTROL SYSTEM IN BELT-TYPE  
CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE TRANSMISSION  
  
Group Art Unit: 3682  
  
Examiner: V. Johnson  
  
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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

This is a timely reply to the Final rejection dated 24 September 2007. No fee is due. The Commissioner, however, is authorized to charge any unaccounted fee(s), such as for extension of time, excess claim fees, etc., required to maintain pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-2056.